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FOR: COMPOSITION CONTAINING MEDICINE EXTREMELY SLIGHTLY SOLUBLE IN WATER BEING EXCELLENT IN ELUTING PROPERTY AND METHOD FOR PREPARATION THEREOF

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2009, upon entry of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.